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**SENT VIA EMAIL TO: 84-26711576@REQUEST.MUCKROCK.COM**

Mr. Jason Smathers  
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Re: **2013-HQFO-00072**

Dear Mr. Smathers:

This is the electronic final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request addressed to the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, seeking all correspondence, memoranda, documents, reports, records, statements, audits, lists of names, applications, diskettes, letter, calendar or dairy logs, facsimile logs, call sheets, tape recordings, video/movie recordings, notes, examinations, opinions, folder files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, drawings, charts, photographs, electronic mail and other documents and things that refer or relate to all communication between U.S. Department of Homeland Security and the Federal Government of Mexico regarding the Arizona immigration law (SB1070). Your request was received in this office on September 26, 2012.

We conducted a comprehensive search of files within the Office of the Executive Secretariat for records that would be responsive to your request. Unfortunately, we were unable to locate or identify any responsive records.

While an adequate search was conducted, you have the right to appeal this determination that no records exist within the Office of the Executive Secretariat that would be responsive to your request. Should you wish to do so, you must send your appeal and a copy of this letter, within 60 days of the date of this letter, to: Associate General Counsel (General Law), U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Washington, D.C. 20528, following the procedures outlined in the DHS FOIA regulations at 6 C.F.R. § 5.9. Your envelope and letter should be marked "FOIA Appeal." Copies of the FOIA and DHS regulations are available at [www.dhs.gov/foia](http://www.dhs.gov/foia).

The Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) also mediates disputes between FOIA requesters and Federal agencies as a non-exclusive alternative to litigation. If you are requesting access to your own records (which is considered a Privacy Act request), you should know that OGIS does not have the authority to handle requests made under the Privacy Act of 1974. If you wish to contact OGIS, you may email them at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov) or call 1-877-684-6448.

Provisions of the FOIA allow us to recover part of the cost of complying with your request. In this instance, because the cost is below the \$14 minimum, there is no charge.

If you need to contact our office concerning this request, please call 202-343-1743 and refer to **2013-HQFO-00072**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Angela Washington". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Angela Washington  
FOIA Program Specialist